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For: METHOD FOR OBTAINING INFORMATION
REGARDING INTERFERENCE IN THE
RECEIVER OF A MESSAGE TRANSMISSION
SYSTEM

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the final Office Action dated October 21, 2003, for which a response was due on January 21, 2004. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a two month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to March 22, 2004 (March 21, 2004 being a Sunday). Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.